

MARKED-UP VERSION SHOWING CHANGES MADE**In the Specification and Drawings:**

The numbering of the drawing figures was changes as follows:

41 > 35
41A > 35A
42 > 36
43 > 37
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46 > n/a
47 > 40
48 > 41
48A > 41A
49 > 42
51 > 43

In the Claims:

The claims were amended as follows:

12. (Amended) A method for providing continuous expert critical care comprising:
monitoring patients in a plurality of ICU's;

communicating the information from the patient monitoring to at least one command
center over a first network

receiving and analyzing the information from the patient monitoring at the command
center over the first network; and
providing guidance from the command center to the plurality of ICU's to take actions regarding
patient care, wherein the providing guidance from the command center further comprises an
intensivist reviewing decision support algorithms that provide guidance for treating a plurality of
critical care conditions.

Claim 13 was cancelled and the second claim 14 was renumbered as 15.

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